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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Axel H. Schmidt

Serial No.: 10/540,192

For: DEADENING MATERIAL AND PROCESS FOR ITS PRODUCTION

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Examiner: Pegah Parvini

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**Mail Stop Amendment  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT TRANSMITTAL**

We are enclosing a response to the Office Action dated January 13, 2009 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$ 130.00 to extend the time for filing this response until March 13, 2009.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED               |                                  |       |                                |               |               |    |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------|----|
|                                 | Claims Remaining After Amendment |       | Highest Number Previously Paid | Present Extra | Rate          |    |
| Total Claims                    | 28                               | Minus | 28                             | 0             | x \$52.00     | \$ |
| Independent Claims              | 3                                | Minus | 3                              | 0             | x \$220.00    | \$ |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE    |                                  |       |                                |               | \$390.00 = \$ |    |
| TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES     |                                  |       |                                |               | \$            |    |
| 1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY |                                  |       |                                |               | \$N/A         |    |

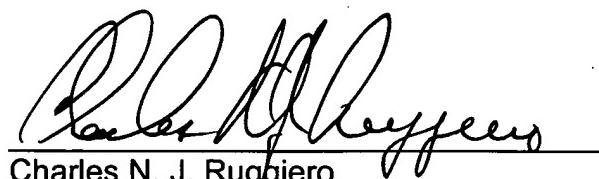
The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be 130.00.

A check in the amount of \$ 130.00 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467.**

March 10, 2009

Date



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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, ON March 10, 2009.

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March 10, 2009  
DATE